

sells beer or ale to the ultimate consumer at a premise purchased prior to February 1, 2017, pursuant to Subsection (a) may establish no more than two additional facilities which sell beer or ale to the ultimate consumer provided those facilities each produce less than 225,000 barrels of beer and ale and comply with the provisions in Sections 12.052(b) and (e) and 62.122(b) and (e), Alcoholic Beverage Code.

SECTION 7. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this Act takes effect September 1, 2017.

Passed by the House on May 8, 2017: Yeas 111, Nays 33, 2 present, not voting; the House concurred in Senate amendments to H.B. No. 3287 on May 24, 2017: Yeas 115, Nays 30, 2 present, not voting, the House adopted H.C.R. No. 153 authorizing certain corrections in H.B. No. 3287 on May 28, 2017: Yeas 136, Nays 0, 2 present, not voting; passed by the Senate, with amendments, on May 22, 2017: Yeas 21, Nays 10, the Senate adopted H.C.R. No. 153 authorizing certain corrections in H.B. No. 3287 on May 28, 2017: Yeas 31, Nays 0.

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## COMPOSITION OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE STATE BAR OF TEXAS

### CHAPTER 1130

S.B. No. 416

#### AN ACT

relating to the composition of the board of directors of the State Bar of Texas.

*Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Texas:*

SECTION 1. Section 81.020, Government Code, is amended by amending Subsections (b) and (d) and adding Subsection (e) to read as follows:

(b) The board is composed of:

- (1) the officers of the state bar;
- (2) the president, president-elect, and immediate past president of the Texas Young Lawyers Association;
- (3) not more than 30 members of the state bar elected by the membership from their district as determined by the board;
- (4) six persons appointed by the supreme court and confirmed by the senate who are not attorneys and who do not have, other than as consumers, a financial interest in the practice of law; and

(5) four *at-large* ~~[minority member]~~ directors appointed by the president as provided by Subsections ~~[Subsection]~~ (d) and (e).

(d) The president of the state bar appoints the *at-large* ~~[minority member]~~ directors, subject to confirmation by the board of directors. In making appointments under this subsection, the president shall ~~[attempt to]~~ appoint *directors who demonstrate knowledge gained from experience in the legal profession and community necessary to ensure the board represents the interests of attorneys from the varied backgrounds that compose the membership of the state bar* ~~[members of the different minority groups listed in Section 81.002(7)]~~.

(e) *At-large* ~~[Minority member]~~ directors serve three-year terms. To be eligible for appointment as an *at-large* ~~[a minority member]~~ director, *at the time of appointment* a person may ~~[must]~~

~~[(1) be a minority member of the bar;~~

~~[(2)] not be serving as:~~

~~(1) an elected director [at the time of appointment]; or~~

~~(2) an at-large [and~~

~~[(3) not be serving as a minority member] director [at the time of appointment].~~

SECTION 2. Section 81.002(7), Government Code, is repealed.

SECTION 3. Notwithstanding Section 81.020, Government Code, as amended by this Act, a minority member serving on the board of directors of the State Bar of Texas on the effective date of this Act continues to serve the term to which the director was appointed. On expiration of the director's term, the president of the State Bar of Texas shall appoint an at-large director as required by Section 81.020, Government Code, as amended by this Act.

SECTION 4. This Act takes effect immediately if it receives a vote of two-thirds of all the members elected to each house, as provided by Section 39, Article III, Texas Constitution. If this Act does not receive the vote necessary for immediate effect, this Act takes effect September 1, 2017.

Passed the Senate on April 19, 2017: Yeas 30, Nays 1; May 25, 2017, Senate refused to concur in House amendments and requested appointment of Conference Committee; May 26, 2017, House granted request of the Senate; May 28, 2017, Senate adopted Conference Committee Report by the following vote: Yeas 31, Nays 0; passed the House, with amendments, on May 18, 2017: Yeas 142, Nays 4, two present not voting; May 26, 2017, House granted request of the Senate for appointment of Conference Committee; May 27, 2017, House adopted Conference Committee Report by the following vote: Yeas 113, Nays 32, four present not voting.

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## EXEMPTION FROM AD VALOREM TAXATION OF, AND THE DEFERRAL OR ABATEMENT OF AD VALOREM TAXES ON, CERTAIN RESIDENCE HOMESTEADS

### CHAPTER 1131

H.B. No. 150

#### AN ACT

relating to the exemption from ad valorem taxation of, and the deferral or abatement of ad valorem taxes on, certain residence homesteads.

*Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Texas:*

SECTION 1. Section 11.132(b), Tax Code, is amended to read as follows:

(b) A disabled veteran who has a disability rating of less than 100 percent is entitled to an exemption from taxation of a percentage of the appraised value of the disabled veteran's residence homestead equal to the disabled veteran's disability rating if the residence homestead was donated to the disabled veteran by a charitable organization:

(1) at no cost to the disabled veteran; or

(2) at some cost to the disabled veteran in the form of a cash payment, a mortgage, or both in an aggregate amount that is not more than 50 percent of the good faith estimate of the market value of the residence homestead made by the charitable organization as of the date the donation is made.

SECTION 2. Section 33.06(d), Tax Code, is amended to read as follows:

(d) A tax lien remains on the property and interest continues to accrue during the pe-